



Designated 1979

Courthouse Square Historic District includes three significant public buildings in the heart of Rockville's downtown area: the Red Brick Courthouse (1891), the Grey Courthouse (1930), and the Old Post office (1938). Established as the county seat with the formation of Montgomery County in 1776, and then known as Montgomery Court House, these two courthouse buildings are in long line of county court buildings that were located in Rockville. The Romanesque style Red Brick Courthouse and the Grey Courthouse in the English-Georgian style exemplify the architectural styles of their day. The English-Georgian Old Post Office, also in this historic district, is a third distinct architectural style. This post office building was constructed under the federal Works Progress Administration (WPA) economic program, and includes a large interior landscape mural painted by Judson Smith.



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